

REMARKS

Claims 1-61 have been allowed. None of the allowed independent claims 1, 17, 26, 32, 47, 51, and 59 have been amended. Dependent claims 13, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 29, 40, and 43 have been amended to correct clerical errors or to provide antecedent basis for particular terms. These amendments are not made for reasons related to patentability. No new matter has been added by these amendments.

Applicants respectfully ask that these amendments be entered pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312. These claim amendments to correct clerical errors or to provide antecedent basis for particular terms require no additional search or examination. Further, no independent claims have been amended, so claims 1-61 remain patentable as indicated in the Notice of Allowance dated September 30, 2005.

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Respectfully submitted,

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